

Sheriff Calls For Volunteer Police Squad

A call for volunteers from this area to serve as special deputies in the event of an emergency was issued this week by Sheriff H. P. (Jack) Gleason.

Sheriff Gleason stated that approximately 300 volunteers are needed in the unincorporated area of the county to aid in emergency police work.

Detective Lowell Creighton, sheriff's deputy stationed in Washington Township, said that the special deputies will be under the jurisdiction of the sheriff's office and will not be connected with the Disaster Control Plan being mapped by District Attorney Frank Coakley. "These special officers will be concerned only with law enforcement," Creighton said.

Creighton added that volunteers must be persons not subject to call by the military forces, either by means of the draft or as members of the reserves.

The volunteers will be carefully screened and will undergo a training course, probably at Santa Rita prison farm, with Captain John Greening in charge. They will be deputized upon the completion of the course.

Persons willing to serve on this emergency police force may register at the Justice Courts in Niles or Centerville, the sheriff's substation in Hayward, with any of the regular sheriff's deputies, or with Harold Speetzen, executive secretary of the Township Chamber of Commerce, Irvington.

RELATIVES SEARCH FOR MISSING GIRL

A practical joke in Hanford on August 3 which backfired into tragedy gained local attention this week when it was learned that the victim, Joyce Lorraine Silva, 17, is the daughter of a former resident of Centerville.

A prankster left a note in the girl's car saying that she had been discharged from her job as a grocery clerk and she has been missing from her home since that time, presumably seeking employment.

The girl is the daughter of Mrs. Olivia Silva, former resident of Centerville, and M. R. Silva, Hanford rancher. The parents have posted a \$200 reward with O. H. Clyde, Kings County sheriff, for information leading to the location of their daughter.

Relatives in Washington Township have been asked to aid in the search for the girl, according to Mrs. J. R. Andrade of Machados Corner, a cousin.

Mrs. Andrade described Joyce as five feet, two inches tall, weighs 108 pounds, has light brown hair, hazel eyes, fair complexion and may be wearing a short white coat.

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MERCURY CLIMBS AS TOWNSHIP SWELTERS

The many thermometers throughout Washington Township might have been a little inaccurate, but they all told about the same story this week. All indicated that it's been hot.

Although Wednesday was perhaps the hottest day of the week—4 p.m. readings varied from 90 to 96 degrees—it wasn't the warmest day of the year. The temperature log book at the County Yard lists June 1 and 2 as the warmest ones so far this year. Both were seven degrees above Wednesday's high.

UNION SANITARY DISTRICT AWARDS PLANT CONTRACT

The contract for the construction of a sewer disposal plant to serve Newark, Centerville and Niles was awarded Monday evening by the directors of the Union Sanitary District.

The firm of Barrett and Hilp, San Francisco, was awarded the contract on the bid of \$218,311.52. Other bids submitted were: F. J. Early Jr., San Francisco, \$236,537; Charles McClosky, San Francisco, \$237,815, and P. & J. Artucovich, Los Angeles, \$238,459.

The members of the sanitary board reported that they felt the bid of Barrett & Hilp was "very reasonable," based on the estimate of the construction job of \$220,000 made by the district's engineer, Harry Goodridge.

Under the terms of the contract construction is expected to get under way within 10 days and the job is to be completed within 120 days.

The district was forced to construct such a sewage treatment and disposal plant to serve this area by a recent ruling by the State Department of Health that raw sewage could no longer be dumped into the waters of San Francisco Bay.

The new plant will consist of a clarifier, a digester unit, the disposal system, a control room and connecting lines and outfalls. It will be constructed near Newark on an acreage recently purchased by the district.

It was also announced at Monday evening's meeting that the Artucovich Company had begun construction that day on the sewer line that will connect the recently annexed area near Niles to the district's sewer lines at the intersection of Fremont Avenue and Santos Road.

THIEF TAKES WALL TELEVISION SET

A television set and several pieces of bric-a-brac were stolen from a furnished display house in Decoto this week. The theft was reported to sheriff's deputies Wednesday.

The house is one in Tareyton Village in Decoto. After removing glass from a window to gain entry, the thief ripped the television set from the living room wall. Deputy Sheriff John Welch estimated that value of the stolen articles is about \$300.

BOND ELECTION AT ALVARADO TUESDAY

A special bond election has been called by the board of the Alvarado Sanitary District to be held on Tuesday, August 22.

The bond issue was deemed necessary to provide funds for repairs and additions to the disposal units and sewer mains, according to board members, William M. Machado, Elvin A. Rose, Manuel C. Pinto Jr., M. P. Goularte and F. W. Joyce.

Polls will be open at the Alvarado Elementary School from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. and election officials will be Hazel Anderson, inspector; Isabel Menezes and Annie L. Baird, judges.

NILES TRUSTEES ASK FOR ELECTION DATE

A resolution requesting a date for a special election to authorize a \$33,000 bond issue has been adopted by trustees of the Niles Elementary School.

The resolution will be submitted to the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

NEWARK DOUBTFUL OF SCHOOL STATE AID THIS YEAR

Little hope was held this week by the board of trustees of the Newark Elementary School District that they would be able to acquire state funds in time to begin the construction of the remaining half of the new school plant during the current year.

The board has submitted an application to the State Department of Finance for a loan of \$179,000, authorized by the voters of the district at the bond election last spring.

LOW PRIORITY

The Division of School House Planning has approved the construction of the additional seven classrooms, a combination auditorium-cafeteria, teachers' room, storeroom and toilets.

However, the trustees have been informed by the finance department that their priority is not high enough for them to receive funds from the first two allocations, the second of which is to be made in September.

It was pointed out by J. I. MacGregor, district superintendent, that schools now forced to conduct triple-session classes, because of increased enrollments, will receive the first state funds.

"After September the state money is allocated on a basis of \$5,000,000 each month for the entire state and many of the school districts have requested that amount for their one district," MacGregor said. "Based on that fact it is impossible to venture a guess when our request will be allowed."

NEW BUS, GARAGE

The Newark board has, however, decided to begin immediate construction of a new garage and to purchase a new school bus. The old bus will be retained for rainy day schedules and for use on field trips.

Plans are now being drawn for the garage, which will be large enough to accommodate both school buses and the school stationwagon, which is used to transport students living the farthest from the school.

LARGER HYDRANTS ASKED AT NEWARK

The Newark Chamber of Commerce, at its meeting Tuesday evening, voted endorsement of the Newark Fire Commission's request to the Alameda County Water District for what they termed more adequate fire hydrants in the community.

A letter from the commission to the water district was read and endorsed by the Chamber and a similar letter ordered sent by the Chamber.

In its letter to the water district the commission asked the board to reconsider its application for two standard-type hydrants on Thornton Avenue.

Fire Chief Joseph Pashote stated Wednesday that the district had begun the installation of two wharf-type hydrants but had halted work when told that the commission would not pay the full-price rental on the smaller hydrants.

Dr. Howard Buschke, secretary, read a letter received from Wallace Boggs, county engineer, stating that the Chamber's request for diagonal parking lanes through the business district could not be approved. He stated that the parking situation did not justify the painting of the lines at the present time.

The members of the streets and lights committee were instructed to contact Supervisor Chester E. Stanley in an endeavor to obtain the installation of additional street lights in the Lindsay Tract.

The group voted participation in the Washington Township Chamber of Commerce for the coming year.

The Chamber approved the suggestion that it sponsor a fund-raising card party and President Edward Bimemiller named J. I. MacGregor, Jake Jacobsen, Edward Brazil, Bill Kelly and Gordon Cotton to the arrangements committee. The affair will be held at the Newark Elementary School the evening of October 21.

ESCAPED INMATE JOINS HOARDERS

The car might have looked like a traveling display case, because it was filled with a conglomeration of curious articles, but it didn't fool the sheriff's deputies.

When the officers saw Reginald K. Anderson, 29, asleep in a coupe parked on the Centerville-Alvarado Road last Monday, they became interested.

Checking the sheriff's office by radio, the deputies learned that Anderson had recently escaped from Napa State Hospital. They also discovered that he had purchased the whole assortment, including the car, with fictitious checks that he passed in San Jose, Palo Alto and San Francisco.

The wierd collection included: an electric steam vaporizer, five boxes of miscellaneous groceries, a hot water bottle, a butcher knife, a black patent leather child's purse, a crescent wrench, a red and green patio chair, a pair of wool trousers, and two china bedroom lamps with shades attached.

The escapee was returned to Napa.

FOUR TEAMS VIE FOR TROPHIES IN LEAGUE PLAY-OFFS

The second and final phase of both an A and B league Shaunessy playoffs will get under way tonight, marking the beginning of the end of the Washington Township Softball Association's season.

American Forge will face Wedgewood, and Kleines will vie with Central Chevrolet tonight in the first games of a three-out-of-five series that will determine which two teams will win the coveted Shaunessy playoff cups.

Kleines defeated Westvaco twice in A league competition to earn their bid for the final round.

Central Chevrolet got into the series the easy way. They ended up the regular season in second place, giving the team an automatic bye in the first leg of the playoffs, and assuring them a berth in the final round.

In the upset of the season Wedgewood knocked first seeded Y.M.I. out of the running by taking the third game, 6 to 3, in the B league's initial playoff.

In other B league play American Forge got by their first playoff obstacle defeating Kraftile in two out of three tries.

All games next week will be double headers played on Monday, Wednesday and Friday nights. The same teams that play tonight will meet again next week.

Scores of recent games are:
August 11—Kraftile 6, American Forge 5.

August 14—Wedgewood 6, Y.M.I. 3; Kleines 6, Westvaco 1.

August 16—Kleines 6, Westvaco 0; American Forge 8, Kraftile 4.

FIRST ROUND STANDINGS

B LEAGUE		W	L
American Forge	.....	2	1
Wedgewood	.....	2	1
Y. M. I.	.....	1	2
Kraftile	.....	1	2

A LEAGUE		W	L
Kleines	.....	2	0
Westvaco	.....	0	2
Central Chevrolet	.....	bye	

MARSH ROAD REPAIR WORK IS UNDER WAY

Work on a four-month, \$159,852 improvement program for Marsh Road between Alvarado and Newark began Monday.

Marsh Road is one of the main approaches to Dunbarton Bridge. The three-mile portion of the road, which extends from V Street in Alvarado to a point south of McKeown Bridge, was closed to through traffic. It will be widened to 38 feet, and raised as much as two feet in some places.

According to County Surveyor Wallace Boggs, funds for the improvement are supplied jointly by a Federal Aid Secondary Route apportionment and the Alameda County Road Department.

SUMMER PROGRAM AT NILES SCHOOL IS WELL ATTENDED

The summer recreation program which has been functioning at the Niles school for the past month was described to the Niles Chamber of Commerce this week as "very successful."

E. Dixon Bristow, district superintendent of the school, told the business men Tuesday that the average daily attendance has been more than 30 children—23 boys and 7 girls.

The afternoon program, conducted by Edward Turner, consists of a wide variety of activities for children ranging in age from preschool to early high school. Included are: story time, group games, hop-scotch, rope jumping, roller skating, bicycling, tether ball, ping-pong, softball, basketball, volleyball, handball, paddle tennis and touch football.

PROGRAM NEEDED

"This recreation program," stated Mr. Bristow, "which was inaugurated by the Niles school board on the suggestion of the Chamber of Commerce, has worked very well this summer. There has been a definite need for it."

Secretary Vernon Ellsworth of the Niles Chamber reported that the State Division of Highways has agreed to list the name of Livermore on the direction sign at the entrance to Niles Canyon.

The Chamber had asked that the sign be altered for the benefit of motorists unfamiliar with this area.

PROMISE TRAFFIC ISLAND

Ellsworth also reported that the Division of Highways had written him assuring that it is considering construction of a traffic island at the intersection of Fremont Avenue and the Niles-Mission San Jose Highway. A number of accidents at this intersection have demonstrated the need for lane separation on Fremont at this point.

President E. A. Quaresma appointed Dr. T. C. Wilson, A. M. Alves and Vernon Ellsworth to serve on a committee to arrange the annual barbecue which the Chamber gives for the Niles Volunteer Fire Department.

Next Tuesday the Chamber, on the invitation of E. C. Parks, will be luncheon guests in Mission San Jose at the I.D.E.S. Hall. Atlas Developers, subdividers of Mission Gardens, which will contain 240 new homes, will be hosts to the business men preceding an open house at the new subdivision.

LIONS CLUB WILL FETE LADIES

The members of the Centerville Lions Club and their ladies will journey to the old Hearst Ranch at Pleasanton Saturday evening for a barbecue dinner and evening of dancing.

Henry Enos, chairman of arrangements, has announced that the affair will get under way at 7:30 p.m.

IT'S A CRUEL WORLD, FOR CANYON BAMBI

With pleading, hurt eyes, the captive—a quivering little creature lying on the railroad tracks of the Southern Pacific in Niles Canyon—looked up at his captors as if to say, "I'm hurt. Please protect me."

The section hands who found the fawn picked it up gently, brought it down to the S.P. depot, where Station Agent Kenneth Bruner phoned the S.P.C.A. in Oakland.

The little fawn was taken to Oakland to be administered to by an S.P.C.A. veterinary. Poisson, they said it was.

Somewhere, up in the hills in Niles Canyon, a mother doe is looking for its fawn.

And in Oakland, a lonesome little fawn, on the verge of death, is wondering why his mother doesn't come—and why, oh why, he didn't stick to the leaves and the grasses shown him by his mother, rather than nibbling on that strange-tasting stuff that was giving him these horrible pains, and that had been the cause of his being taken away from his beloved hills.

Such is life—the wild life—in Niles Canyon.

County Tax Boost Of 40 Cents Is Probable

Taxes in Alameda County are scheduled for a sizeable boost next year if the tentative budget drawn up by the board of supervisors is adopted on August 31.

Supervisor Chester E. Stanley said yesterday that he did not have the exact 1950-51 fiscal year budget total at hand but that the tentative figures drawn up by the supervisors would call for a 40 cent tax increase on the \$100 assessed valuation.

"We may be able to slice some expenses off the budget before it is adopted," Stanley said, but indicated that the tax boost would most certainly range between 35 and 40 cents for the coming year.

He stated that the greatest portion of the increase resulted from increased aid to needy widows and children and "mandatory state legislation which forced the county to take over the aid to aged needy."

Stanley stated that the county's building program for the coming year also accounts for a slight increase over former years due to the expansion of facilities to accommodate the growth in population.

Profoundly disturbed over the county tax increase, the Alameda County Taxpayers' Association, a non-profit body headed by civic leaders, has called a meeting with the Board of Supervisors to discuss the 1950-51 budget.

Tuesday, August 22, is the date set for the hearing and all interested taxpayers are invited to attend the meeting, to be held in the Alameda County Court House in Oakland beginning at 2:30 p.m.

FIRE-FIGHTERS PLAN EXPANSION OF FACILITIES

Expansion and modernization of their facilities and equipment is being undertaken by five of the seven volunteer fire departments of Washington Township in a move to keep pace with the rapid increase in population.

The Decoto fire commissioners, A. A. Amaral, Carl Zwissig and Keith Whipple, and Chief Roland Bendel, announced this week that they had purchased a lot upon which they expect to erect a new modern fire house. The lot is located on Ninth Street and was purchased from Mrs. Hardy.

Last week the Niles fire commissioners announced the purchase of a lot on Second Street as the site for a new and larger fire house for the Niles Fire District.

AWAIT COUNTY APPROVAL

Earlier this month the Warm Springs department, most recently formed fire district in the township, announced the purchase of a fire house site and submitted tentative plans for the structure to the county for approval. The district has been without a fire station since it was formed, the fire engine being housed at the home of Chief John Souza.

The Mission San Jose commissioners are searching for a site which they can purchase upon which they plan to construct a new, more modern fire house.

A second story is now being constructed on the Newark fire house to provide sleeping quarters for on-duty firemen. The work, being done by L. M. Potts, Newark contractor, is expected to be completed this month.

NEW FIRE TRUCK

Centerville, which has long discussed the construction of a new fire station, has temporarily set aside their plans and have instead authorized the purchase of a new, fully equipped fire truck.

The Irvington department has been "window shopping" for a new fire truck for several months but has taken no official action toward the purchase of a new engine.

Alvarado, with its newest and most modern fire station in the township, is the only department that is planning no further expansion or improvements.

ELECTIONS CALLED IN FOUR LOCAL SANITARY DISTRICTS

Election of directors in each of the four sanitary districts of the township will be held on Monday, September 18.

Candidates have from Saturday, August 19, until Monday, August 28, to file their nomination papers with the clerk of the board in the district in which they reside.

Five directors must be elected for the Union Sanitary District. Since the Niles Sanitary District was annexed to the Union District nearly a year ago, the ten directors have met as one board. They are: George Coit, president; George Emerson, Manuel Bernardo, Sam Scott and Chester Gunn, original Union District board, and E. E. Dias, George Burr, Tom Elliott, H. L. Scott and Henry Enos, former Niles board.

After the board is narrowed to five men they will draw lots to determine which two will serve two-year terms and which three will serve four-year terms. The directors will then elect one of the members president and one to serve as clerk. Polling places will be set up in Niles, Centerville and Newark.

Irvington will elect two directors to fill the expired terms of Raymond B. Benbow and Joseph F. Ferreira. Both terms are for four years.

Two directors will be elected to the Decoto Sanitary District board for four-year terms at the September 18 election. The directors whose terms expire that date are George Smith and Clarence Frates. Residents of Alvarado will elect two members to the sanitary board to fill the expired terms of Alvin Rose and M. P. Goularte.

VACATION SCHOOL AT NILES CHURCH

A Vacation Church School for all children of grammar school age will be conducted at the Niles Congregational Church starting Monday, August 21, at 9:30 a.m., and continuing for two weeks.

Three young people, Barbara Price, Avonne Ravekes and Roger Smith, supplied by the Student Summer Service of the Congregational Churches, will be in charge of the program, assisted by members of the church.

NILES FIREMEN SET DATE FOR ANNUAL BALL

The Niles Fire Department has set aside the evening of Saturday, October 7, as the date for their annual Firemen's Ball. The dance will be held at the Newark Pavilion and music will be provided by Roy Baptiste and his 12-piece orchestra.



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NEWARK News Notes

VACATION AT GUERNEVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. John A. Nunes and Alvin Silva of Elm Street, and Bill Foster of Hayward left last Friday on a vacation in Guerneville.

BAPTISM
Joan Artis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brooks of Cherry Road, was christened recently at St. Edward's Church in Newark. Sponsors for the baptism were Irma Dutra and Frank Joseph. Following the christening a lovely dinner was held at the Brooks' home.

IN WASHINGTON
Marian Almes and Kay Cole are visiting relatives in Washington. They will return in about two weeks.

AT WRESTLING MATCHES
Mr. Hulce and daughter, Willie, Mrs. Tony Silva and daughter, Bette Jean, and Edwin Menezes attended the wrestling matches in Oakland last Friday evening. They viewed the thrilling tag teams of Ronnie Schison, Eniquiro Torres vs. Ray Eckert and Tom Rice. The decision was a draw.

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DAY AT THE BEACH
On Monday, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Brown accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Herman Medeiros of Mission San Jose, to Santa Cruz. After spending part of the day at the beach, the foursome toured through many of the resort towns, such as Felton, Ben Lomond and Boulder Creek, and then back home again after a very enjoyable day.

NEW ARRIVAL
A new arrival at the home of Dr. and Mrs. John M. Peppers is their tiny daughter, Catherine. She made her appearance at San Jose Hospital about two weeks ago.

VACATION
Barbara Jean Silver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Silver of Olive Street, spent a few days visiting in Hayward last week. She was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith and family.

BACK TO WORK
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Freitas of Thornton Avenue are back at work after a week's vacation at Adams Springs.

VISIT IN SANTA CRUZ
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Harris and sons of George Street spent Sunday in Santa Cruz visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lois Rusebirs and family at their summer home.

VISITING HERE
Sister Claudine Lee from St. Scholastica's at Fort Smith, Arkansas, is visiting with her father, Mr. R. E. Lee of Thornton Avenue for a few weeks.

BACK FROM HOSPITAL
Johnny Freitas of Sycamore Street returned to his home on Saturday after spending about a week at U. C. Hospital where he was under observation.

CHRISTENING
Diana Gay Millan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sal Millan of Mt. View was christened Sunday, August 13, at the Mt. View Church. The sponsors were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNieve of Magnolia Street. Following the christening a family gathering was held at the Millan home. Refreshments were served and a very nice time was had by all. Those attending from Newark were Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McNieve, Mrs. J. Freitas, Mr. and Mrs. Herb Lacey and family and Mr.

and Mrs. Bud Kettman and family.
IN NEWARK
Bill Foster of Hayward spent four days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Silva of Elm Street.

BIRTHDAY PARTY
A birthday party was given in honor of four-year-old Sandra Lee McCullough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McCullough of Mulberry Street, on Wednesday afternoon, August 9. The party was held at the McCullough home with seventeen of Sandra's little friends attending. A beautifully decorated cake was the main attraction of the refreshments, and ice cream and candy were also served. The guests played many various games and prizes went to the winners. Each of the guests received favors of hats and baskets.

Those attending the party were guest of honor Sandra Lee McCullough, Patsy Fredericks and brother of San Lorenzo Village, Gloria Elm, Bernedette Millani, LeRoy Kilmer, Marvin Thane Meddough, Margarette Kelly, Gerry Kelly, Bruce Seymore, Barbara and Claudia Mello, Berta Williams, Louise Ann and Bobby, and Daryl Jones, all of Newark. Some of the guests' mothers attending were Mrs. Symore, Gertrude Jones of Newark, Mrs. Frederick of San Lorenzo Village, and Sandra's godmother, Miss Loba.

VISITOR FROM THREE RIVERS
Mrs. Fern Doherty of Three Rivers spent four days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hulce of Locust Street. Last Thursday Mrs. Doherty, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hulce and daughter, Willie, and Alvin Silva motored to Lick Observatory at Mt. Hamilton. Mrs. Hulce accompanied Mrs. Doherty back to her home in Three Rivers and spent a few days visiting relatives there. She returned to Newark Tuesday.

AT ANTIOCH
Sonny Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown of Birch St., is spending a few weeks vacation at the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dahl of Antioch. Upon his return to Newark, Sonny will start work at Freeman's Market.

VISIT IN TOWNSHIP
Ethel Brown of Benicia visited friends and relatives in the township over the week-end. She is the niece of Arthur Brown of Dairy Avenue, Leona Brown of Birch Street, and Eddie Brown of Locust Street. Ethel had not seen most of her friends for a number of years.

Seal Stadium is the largest roofless baseball arena in the U. S.

SCENE IN CENTERVILLE

By IRENE MENDONCA



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ST. JAMES ACTIVITIES

Services Sunday, August 20, eleventh Sunday after Trinity, will be as follows: Holy Communion, 8 a.m.; Church School, 9:45 a.m., and morning prayer and sermon at 11.

On Thursday, August 24, St. Bartholomew's Day, Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m.

SHOW FOR BLESSED EVENT

Mrs. Caroline Brown of Joseph Street was hostess last Monday at a baby shower given in honor of Mrs. Millie Naharo of Alvarado. Those present were Mrs. J. Naharro and Mary Saledo of Alvarado, Isabel Moniz, Adeline Brown, Mae Rogers, Elsie Amaral, Elsie Horat, all of Centerville, and Mae Rose of Niles.

BOULDER CREEK CONFERENCE

On August 20 through 26 the Diocesan Family Conference will be held at Camp Campbell, three miles from Boulder Creek, according to Reverend Arthur Freeman, minister of St. James Episcopal Church. For adults there will be classes in the mornings on such subjects as "Christian Family Living," "Profits," and "Gospel According to St. Luke." Every afternoon and evening there will be recreation.

The children's program is entirely separate from the adults. The housing units are wood floored tent-like structures with army cots. There is a dining hall and swimming pool. The cost is \$12 per child and \$18 per adult. This is the fourth year such a conference has been held.

BACK YARD BARBECUE

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meekins of Pine Street entertained Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mackintosh and family of Irvington last Saturday evening with a barbecue.

TRIP BY AIRLINER

Buddy Silva and Joyce Castro of Centerville are taking a trip to Los Angeles Sunday evening by United Airlines. They will spend a week with Joyce's father and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Castro.

NINETEENTH BIRTHDAY

Miss Dolly Silveira, daughter of the George Silveiras of Thornton Avenue, celebrated her nineteenth birthday last Sunday and although she had to remain in bed due to illness, had a happy birthday anyway. Friends dropped in all day to wish her well and also to present her with lovely gifts. Dolly, who has been absent from her job at Sears and Houston, due to her illness, is back to work, we are happy to report.

ENTERTAIN GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. George Silveira of

Thornton Avenue entertained guests last Friday evening. They were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wigate of Sacramento, Mr. and Mrs. Al Orlando of San Jose, Donald Vierra of Stockton and Mr. Joe Silveira and grandson, Johnny, of Milpitas.

ENJOY BARBECUE

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ramsell enjoyed a barbecue last Saturday evening given by the Irvington Firemen in Irvington.

TO RUSSIAN RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kabrich and daughter, Patsy, of Decoto Road, motored to Russian River last Sunday. The weather was definitely hot, it was reported.

PARTICIPATES IN WEDDING

Miss Jane Nova, daughter of the John Novas of Alviso, took part in a wedding ceremony on August 6 in which she was maid of honor. Jane wore a blue satin and lace gown. The bride, Beverly Avilla, was attired in the traditional white satin gown and became the bride of Edward Correa, both of Ashland.

Council No. 4 of S.P.R.S.I. in Centerville will sponsor a food sale on August 26 at 10 a.m. at Henry Miller's cleaning establishment. Members are asked to donate food for this sale. The council also made preparations at their last meeting for their 50th anniversary to be held on October 29. It will be a gold festival and the members are asked to cooperate. Luncheon will be held at the International Kitchen. Reservations must be made.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—NILES

A branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts. Regular services are held as follows:

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LOCAL BERRY FARM ACREAGE REACHES 230

INVESTMENT GROSSES \$1,000,000 YEARLY

With a gross annual income of more than \$1,000,000, and an investment of over \$300,000 in 230 acres, the strawberry growing business in Alameda County has assumed more than minor importance.

In Washington Township there are two large berry farms: E. E. Olwell, 38 acres, and Don Driscoll, 36 acres. At nearby Sunol Joseph Kiser has 103 acres planted. The remaining 53 acres are in smaller acreage plantings throughout the county.

According to the local farmers, berries are planted on ground which has been surveyed to insure a perfect level. The seedlings are planted in the spring and their first yield is ready for picking the following spring. The Lassen and Shasta strawberries, which are planted in this area, produce three full crops plus a trailer crop.

APRIL HARVEST LARGEST

The first harvest is from April 25 to June 15, and yields approximately half of the total crop. The second is picked during August, and the third in September. The trailer crop lasts until it is cut short by the frost in October.

Berry plants are good for four years, after which they do not bear sufficiently to warrant their maintenance, and are more susceptible to disease, according to the farm bureau. Another pertinent factor to consider before planting strawberries is that it takes the soil in which plants have grown 20 years to replenish itself.

Local farms are operated on a share-crop basis, and the pickers get about 40 cents a crate for market fruit and 55 cents a crate for canning fruit.

The difference between market and canning fruit, according to the bureau, is that the former is picked at 4 to 5 day intervals, while the latter fruit is allowed to grow larger and ripen, since it is picked at 7 to 8 day intervals.

The bureau said that a state law

requires each box of strawberries in the 12-pound crate of market berries to weigh at least 12 ounces. The canner fruit, however, weighs about 16 ounces per box, and for it the farmer receives about 25 cents, or \$3 a crate.

OLWELL YIELD HIGHEST

The 100 pickers on the E. E. Olwell farm are expected to take about 2,500 crates of strawberries from each of his 38 acres. Foreman Jim Masuda said that this yield is about twice the average for a farm of more than 20 acres.

The Olwell berry farm is the largest in Washington Township, and has an investment of about \$70,000 on its 38 acres.

Olwell got into berry farming through the back door. For 30 years he was a car-lot buyer for a large fruit brokerage company in Seattle. He came to this vicinity to look at strawberries and liked the crops which he saw so well that he decided to stay in Washington Township to raise his own strawberries.

In October, 1948, Olwell uprooted a French prune orchard which was growing on what is now his berry farm. Then he surveyed the land and planted 38 acres of Shasta and Lassen strawberries. All this preparation cost nearly \$2,000 per acre, which is about \$500 an acre more than most growers invest. But, he said, "better preparation has paid off in much better production."

SHIPS 700 CRATES DAILY

Although the daily shipment of the first crop this year averaged about 2,000 crates, his shipment is around 700 crates daily during this month.

Olwell ships fruit to interstate markets on his own trucks, but to New York, Chicago and Denver he ships by rail.

Next year Olwell intends to plant an additional 50 acres, which will increase considerably the investment in berry farms in the county and in the annual income from their produce.

Sportsmen's News

MONO FISHING REPORT

Fishing is good in most of the higher areas of Mono County that are reached by hiking or horseback on trails. Some nice catches are reported from Weber, Gem and Agnew Lakes above Silver Lake and from Fern and Parker Lakes. Fishing is slow even in walking areas of Mammoth Lakes, with the exception of Duck Lake which is good.

TROUT IN ALPINE

Anglers are still making nice catches of trout in the East Carson River in Alpine County.

BASS ATTRACTS

Bass fishermen at Salt Springs Valley Reservoir, Calaveras County, are taking some nice limits of bass. Fish are small, with the largest weighing about one pound.

SALMON IN HUMBOLDT

Sport salmon fishing is declared as being good on Trinidad and Humboldt Bays.

STEELHEAD SHOWING

Steelhead are reported as showing up in the lower Eel River in catchable numbers.

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DAY BY DAY IN DECOTO

By GRACE CAMINADA



ANNUAL MEETING

Several hundred members of the East Bay Chapters of the Eastern Star will attend the annual gathering at the Masonic Home tomorrow night (Saturday). The occasion will be in honor of the

Grace Caminada Grand Matron, Mrs. Margaret Hughes Lauritzen, with the East Bay Past Matrons' Associations as hostess group. Mrs. Anna Bradford is chairman of arrangements for the Orient Chapter at Centerville. Following a noon luncheon, visitors will greet members of the home. The annual affair will be accompanied by a presentation of jams and jellies for the home pantry.

BUNDLE OF JOY
Bouncing Wendy Patricia Cordeiro made her appearance at the Hayward Hospital on August 1. She tipped the scales at 9 pounds and 14 ounces. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan E. Cordeiro of 413 Tenth Street.

GETS DEER
After anxiously awaiting every season to go out and hunt deer, Lester Mederos would always come home empty handed. But last Wednesday evening it turned out to be a different story. Lester came home with a four-pointed buck, shot around 5 p.m. while he was out hunting with Leonard Kelly. This is the second deer Les has brought home but his first one was shot many years ago and has long been forgotten. After admiring his masterpiece, the meat was stored away for some future barbecue.

ENTERTAINED
Mr. and Mrs. L. Batteate and grandson, Kippy Lewis of Farmington, and Mrs. Bernice Batteate of Hayward, were graciously entertained at the home of Mr. and

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L. R. BATMAN
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Mrs. J. J. Cordeiro one day last week.

HAPPY RETURNS
Belated birthday greetings to Margaret Scorpiniti who celebrated her birthday August 16.

RETURN HOME
Mrs. L. Watkins and her youngest daughter were visiting here from Roseburg, Oregon. They left for home on the 9th after a week's stay.

JOE'S BACK!
Guess most of you have noticed the fellow with the friendly smile is back at Olson's meat department. Yes, Joe Lewis is back after being in Irvington for a short time. Glad to see you back, Joe.

FAMILY BARBECUE
Mr. and Mrs. R. Caminada and children enjoyed a delicious birthday dinner at the home of the John Tedeschis Sunday. Fourteen of the immediate family joined in the celebration honoring the hostess, Sue Tedeschi.

PINOCHLE CLUB MEETS
Nine persons enjoyed a barbecue dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Watkins last Saturday evening when they met for their monthly meeting of the Pinochle Club. After dinner twenty hands were played with Don Morgan first, Florence Wallace second and Tina Costa low. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Don Morgan of San Lorenzo, Mr. and Mrs. John Mara of Canyon Heights, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Costa, Florence Wallace, and the host and hostess. Everyone had a grand time.

RECUOPERATING
A speedy recovery to Walter "Corky" Avilla who recently had a nose operation.

MEETING DATE SET
The annual picnic meeting of the Decoto Discussion Group will be held at the home of Olive Hyde at Mission San Jose on September 13. Mrs. Florence Wallace will be program chairman.

HOME REMODELED
Russell Cunser is doing a wonderful job of painting up the home of the George Oliverias of Eleventh Street. The home is also being remodeled with next fixtures, etc.

EMPTY HANDED
George Santos and Louie Cosio went out for deer last week but came home without a thing. Better luck next time, fellows.

ON VACATION
Tomasa "Tomi" Sausedo is enjoying a well-earned vacation at Yosemite.

VISITING IN IOWA
Peggy Cosio is in Iowa visiting her son who is spending his summer vacation with his grandparents.

BIRTHDAY FETE
A party was given for Betty Gonzales by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gonzales, in honor of her 16th birthday, August 12. The guests enjoyed a weiner roast, birthday cake and refreshments in the patio. Betty was hostess

to Grandparents Mr. and Mrs. T. Sanchez and Mr. and Mrs. D. Gonzales; also to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanchez, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sanchez, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gonzales of San Francisco. The teen-age group included Rose Marie and Linda Gonzales, Freddie, Rita and Evelyn Sanchez, Ralph and Frances Martinez, Irene Delgado, Louise and Olivesa Campa, Betty Ward, Angelo Gonzales, Ronnie Westray, Donald Emery, Anita Garcia, Ernie Delgado, Manuel Garcia, Ida Paniagua, Joseph Castro, Annie Boliba, Raul Orozco, Margaret and Gloria Pagan, Eddie Cisannero, Orli Valdez, Joe Agolart and Johnnie Garcia. Everyone enjoyed themselves dancing and playing games. Betty Jean was thrilled with all her lovely gifts.

BACK FROM CAMP
Coming home from a wonderful ten-day vacation at the La Honda Y.M.C.A. Camp recently were Terry Halliwell, David Deosado, David Rosa, Bobby Marshall, Gilbert Lozano and David Lozano. The boys had a grand time but wish the ten days hadn't passed so quickly.

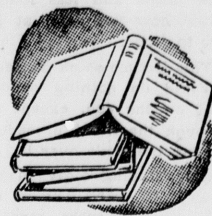
POOR FISHING
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel "Shorty" Garcia and son of Fourth Street enjoyed a day last week at Martins Beach and another at Santa Cruz fishing. They caught very little fish. Shorty is enjoying a two weeks' vacation.

ENJOY VACATION
Howard Vincent and wife of Decoto Road and Second Street enjoyed a week's vacation at Yosemite. After hiking four miles, Howard was able to get only one small trout but both enjoyed the beautiful scenery.

HELP IN RESCUE
Last week Don Martin and son, Donnie, Lest Watkins and Joe Soanes took part in the rescue of five boys who were clinging to their overturned sailboat. The men were on a fishing boat and returning from an unsuccessful trip when the skipper spotted the boys. Immediately quick thinking had the boys from the ice cold water.

HOME FROM PORTUGAL
M. O. Silva has returned from his several months' trip to Portugal. Also home is his son who was at the San Jose Hospital after a recent automobile accident.

NEW PARTNERS
Dominic Lazzarina and wife, Ida, have joined in the business with the Frank Scorpinitis who have a shoe repair shop and sell new shoes here. They are also operating a pick-up and delivery service throughout the township.



At the LIBRARY

By ELAINE HOWE

The search for a faith to lean on—some rock of comfort in a frightening world—how many achieve the inner peace all men crave? Many sincere people have found widely different avenues to the worship of God and application of Christianity to daily living. In the book, "They Have Found a Faith," Dr. Marcus Bach has chosen eight of the most significant little-known religious groups in America and reviewed their doctrines. By visiting the home ground of each of these groups, he has first-hand knowledge of how the creeds function in human lives. Among the groups discussed are Jehovah's Witnesses, Foursquare Gospel, Unity and Spiritualism.

The situation in South Africa, where millions of people live a life of virtual slavery, is disturbing to all thinking people. Recently Martin Flavin found himself in Africa facing the color bar. "Black and White"—from the Cape to the Congo is a record of what he saw and thought. He learned that a "white aristocracy" of two and a half million live off the wealth produced by eight million black serfs.

Perhaps you have a daughter growing up who is going to face, one of these years, the problem of what to do with her life. Dr. Lynn White, president of Mills College, has some definite ideas about women's education which he sets forth in "Educating Our Daughters," a challenge to the colleges. He discusses in detail the need for young women today preparing themselves for either home or career, and in very many cases both will be required in our society.

The Catholic Foreign Mission Society—more familiarly known as

the Maryknollers—bring religion, food and medicine to missions in the far corners of the world. Bob Considine, well-known sports writer and war correspondent, has

brought out a picture book of the activities of the Maryknoll priests, accompanied by his vivid descriptive text. It is "The Maryknoll Story," and exploits of these brave

and busy fathers make inspiring reading no matter what your creed. Lassen Peak, in California, is the only active volcano in the U. S.

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Return from Vacation

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Focht and family have returned from a week's vacation at Murphy's Ranch at Guerneville. Mr. Focht will return to the pulpit of the Niles Congregational Church, Sunday, to preach.

At Pacific Grove

Shirley Amaral, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Amaral Jr. of Irvington, and her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Amaral, returned Sunday after spending a week visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Amaral at Pacific Grove.

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Ordinarily, when I entertain, I limit myself to two, four, and not more than six guests. This makes things easy. All I have to do is reverse the sofa pillows so the clean side shows, move the chair over that spot in the rug, and wash the windows in places where I know the sun will highlight the spots. Even better, I usually try to do my entertaining at night. This eliminates washing any windows at all.

Then I fix garlic French bread. I've found that if you have plenty of garlic French bread, the guests will fill up on this. Thus the problem of furnishing further provender is eliminated.

You can see how easy all of this is.

Last week, however, I apparently suffered a temporary mental derangement, and when I got to counting up on my fingers I found I had to prepare for 16 people! This left me confused.

For six people, I wash two windows, I thought. Then, I reasoned, for sixteen I'd better wash all the windows in the house! This was a worthy ambition, but after four very large windows, I decided to pull the draperies across the rest, so I could get to work on the sofa cushions. It's all very well to simply reverse them for six people, but for sixteen, something more ought to be done. So I went over

the sofa with "magic foam," wishing all the time that there was more magic and less foam. No matter how you look at it, you have to scrub.

This left me so exhausted that I could do nothing about the spot on the rug, except to go through the usual procedure of pulling the chair over it.

After stuffing stray magazines, poker chips, dried flowers, banana peels, canasta score cards, walnut shells, and old copies of the Township Register into a bulging drawer for later assortment, I decided that the living-room didn't look bad at all. So on to the menu.

At this point I realized that several loaves of garlic French bread laid end to end on the table might result in a slight panic by the guests, especially those who did not care for garlic. This led me to a decision to have something to go with it, namely, a melon-mold salad.

For hours I scooped out melon balls for this salad. Then stored it safely in the refrigerator. Then I sat down to relax, saying to myself, "Pooh, there's nothing to it. Why I could entertain SIXTY people!"

I had not reckoned with my family.

While I was still relaxing, my youngest came into the room, bearing a handful of—NO! It couldn't be!—melon balls!

I had visions of that dirty hand reaching down into my melon-mold salad. "How could you do this to me?" I shrieked.

He went placidly on, popping melon balls into his mouth. "Do what, Mom?" he asked innocently, but grinning widely.

"Why, you've just ruined my salad!" I cried, wondering just how

far the humane society would let a mother go in punishing a twelve-year-old boy.

"I haven't ruined your salad," he said, still popping the melon balls into his mouth. "I just made these out of another melon." Then he went on out, calling back, "Gee, wasn't that a good practical joke, Mom? I sure had you scared."

I turned to collapse on the sofa, but found the dog had got in somehow and was comfortably reclined thereon. He had been playing in mud. Evidences of it were all over the sofa.

I patiently reversed the sofa cushions again.

Then the man of the house came in, apparently full of vim and vigor, saying, "Guess I'll recharge the water-softener now." (For two weeks I had been trying to get him to do it.)

This was just dandy. Now, for 45 crucial moments when I needed water desperately for washing vegetables, washing dishes, etc., I would be without it.

But I bore up bravely under this, only to be confronted by an even more critical problem when the water was finally turned on. "Guess I'll take a bath now," said my youngest, upon whom I had been urging that very thing for two days. This was twenty minutes before the guests were due to arrive.

"But I've just cleaned the bathtub, and the bathroom," I moaned. "Oh, okeh," he said, "so you don't want me to take a bath."

"But I DO want you to take a bath," I practically sobbed. "Only why do you have to take it NOW?"

He finally abandoned the idea. But I knew that for the next few months that any suggestion of mine to take a bath would be met with, "But remember that day when I WANTED to take a bath?"

Just then I spotted the sun. It was coming through one of the windows I hadn't washed. But it was too late to do anything about it then, so frantically remembering the family towels in the bathroom, I rushed in there, quickly getting out the guest towels—fervently hoping that the guests would see them before the family used them—and got through just in time to answer the door-bell.

It was the first guests, who wanted to know, "Is there anything I can do to help?"

"Oh, no," I smiled brightly. "Everything's under perfect control."

Entertaining can be fun, say the writers in popular magazines. Well, I suppose it CAN be—

Santa Fe, New Mexico, was founded in 1609 and has been a capital continuously for nearly 350 years.

Twins' Birthday

Connie and Carol Morris, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morris of Irvington, celebrated their eighth birthday last week with over a dozen of their neighborhood playmates in for games, refreshments, and party favors. With double birthdays to celebrate, there was, of course, just double the fun.

Nurses' Training

Juliette Re, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Re of Niles, is leaving this Sunday for St. Joseph's Hospital in San Francisco, where she will start nurses' training. Her roommate will probably be another local girl, Elsie Horat.

In Fighting Zone

The Manuel Brazil family of Centerville is one of the many families who has more than the usual interest in the Korean battle. Their son, Lt. (jg) Rudolph Brazil, is on the Valley Forge, and naturally the Brazils keep abreast of all news concerning the carrier.

Return from Tuolumne

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bendel of Niles have returned home after a very pleasant two weeks spent at Tuolumne Meadows. On the return trip they stopped off at Pinecrest and visited with her sister for three days.

Visit in Los Angeles

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Day of Centerville spent last week-end in Los Angeles visiting at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln D'Amario.

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Week-End Guests

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At Tahoe

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bauhofer of Centerville are spending two weeks vacationing at Lake Tahoe.

In Yreka

Mrs. Tom Burns of Irvington has returned home after a Friday-to-Tuesday visit with her mother in Yreka.

GARDEN OF ALLAH DANCING

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Farewell Parties for The Lorin Mohns

Mr. and Mrs. Lorin Mohn, who have moved from Niles to Pocatello, Idaho, were the honorees at several farewell parties given for them prior to their departure last Tuesday.

Among the parties was the Rebekah Lodge affair given last Friday evening for Mrs. Mohn, and also for Florence Hale, who is moving to Denver.

On Friday afternoon the Martha Sanford Circle of the Niles Congregational Church gave a party for the popular Mrs. Mohn and also presented her with a gift.

The wind-up of the farewell affairs was the Monday night surprise pot-luck supper given the Mohns in their own patio. This was attended by all of their neighbors of "the I Street gang," numbering about 30 altogether. They, too, presented the Mohns with a gift.

The reason for the move was the transfer of positions for Mr. Mohn from the Westvaco plant at Newark, to the company's plant in the Idaho town. He will be there at least six months, and possibly a year. The Mohns will keep their house in Niles, which will be occupied by their two older sons, Milton and "Butch." Their youngest son, Bobby, went with them.

At the Cunha Home

A guest this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Antone Cunha of Newark is Mrs. Cunha's brother, William Kelly, who is recuperating here following hospitalization in San Francisco.

Also at the Cunha home are Cpl. Elidio Cunha's wife and children who are here until they find a home near the corporal's base at Fort Ord.

To the Northwest

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beebe of Niles left Wednesday for a two weeks' motor tour of the northwest. They expect to go as far north as Vancouver Island.

Yosemite-Reno Sojourn

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Strub, their daughter, Judy, and Mrs. Marlene Mendoza enjoyed a brief vacation in Yosemite and Reno, Nevada. They returned to their homes in Irvington last Friday, after their sojourn.

So Well Remembered

Mr. and Mrs. John Galvin of Niles are still reminiscing about their recent three-weeks motor trip through the northwest. They went as far as Lake Louise, taking in all the interesting and magnificent scenic sights along the way.

Attend Convention

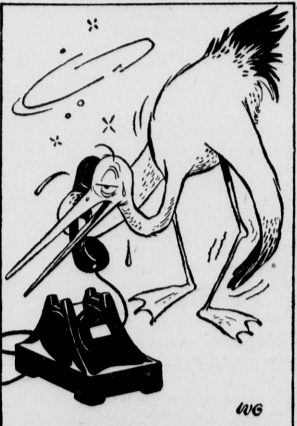
Mrs. Stella Benbow of Irvington and Mrs. Marion Zwissig of Decoto attended the state legion convention at Sacramento this week as delegates from the Washington American Legion Post Auxiliary.

Former Residents Here

Mr. Harold Murrell and his son, Gene, of Banks, Oregon, were visitors in Irvington and the township last week. They are former residents of Irvington.

Tele-fun

by Warren Goodrich



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Farewell Luncheon For Juliette Re

Juliette Re went over to the Don Plummer home last Wednesday in answer to a call to come and "baby sit."

Imagine her surprise, then, when she arrived, to find that the baby-sitting job was actually a surprise luncheon in her honor, prior to her departure Sunday for St. Joseph's Hospital to take up nurses' training.

Mrs. Plummer had decorated the room in keeping with the general theme. Medical books, with a nurse's cap, was the centerpiece on the table. Around the cap, daisies had been artfully arranged. Medicine bottles, rubber gloves, thermometers, and other nurse's paraphernalia completed the decorations.

The guests assembled to wish Juliette "happy nursing" included Mitzi Mello, Dora Silva, Elaine Joseph, Irene Andrade, Carmen Gardetto and Genevieve Fazolis.

Frasco Family Tours Southern California

Robert Frasco, his wife, Sylvia, and two children have returned to their home in Niles after vacationing for four days in Southern California.

While there, they toured Hollywood, Los Angeles, Santa Catalina, and the Ghost Town on Knott's Berry Farm in Buena Park.

Big Event

The cigar supply in Washington Township is near the state of depletion this week, caused by a run on cigars by one very happy Centerville father, Phil Sousa, who is passing them out with gay abandon to celebrate the birth of his first child. The baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sousa at Alameda Hospital on August 13. He's a husky nine pound boy, and has been named Merle Anthony.

Off to Mexico

Mrs. Ethel Grau and daughter, Betty, left this week on a motor trip to Mexico. They will take in the sights of Mexico and will then fly on to Guatemala, to be joined later by Dr. Grau. They all will return by the end of September.

Overacker Family Round-Up

The annual gathering of the Overacker clan during deer-hunting season took place last Sunday. The locale was the Howard Overacker place at Mission San Jose.

About 25 were present for the pot-luck luncheon and the fun that lasted on through the day.

Belshaws Vacationing

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Belshaw and their two older sons of Centerville have been vacationing in a house-trailer at Richardson's Grove. They expect to be home this week-end.

Round of Parties Fetes Bride-Elect

Miss Elaine Lewis, bride-to-be of Robert Lewis, was honored at a luncheon last Thursday, given by Mrs. Anthony S. Enos at her home. The bride-to-be was presented with a lovely bedroom clock.

Those present were Jeanie Nickel, Marjorie Santos, Marilyn Enos and Mrs. Rita Oliveira.

The wedding has been slated for Sunday, August 27, at 1 o'clock, at the Holy Ghost Church in Centerville.

In the role of matron of honor will be Adeline Cardoza, and Bess King, Bernardine Francis and Adel George, cousin of the bride-to-be, will be bridesmaids.

The masculine entourage of the wedding party includes Clarence Dutra, brother of the groom, as best man; Johnny Lewis, Bill Enos and James George, ushers.

Elaine was a very surprised girl on Monday evening when she was honored at a surprise birthday party held at her home. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Don Lemos, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Costa, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dutra, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cardoza, Bob Dutra and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis. Everyone spent a most enjoyable evening.

By Irene Mendonca

Stop Off at Niles

Enroute to Oregon, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Schmidt of Los Angeles stopped off at Niles Sunday to say "hello" to their nephew, Cletus Osterholt, and his family. Mr. Osterholt is manager of the Safeway Store in Centerville.

Something to Celebrate

George Barker, Niles' grand old man, will observe his 87th birthday on August 27. He is very proud of his ripe old age, and naturally wants his friends to know about it. His hopes for the future are optimistic, as even now he is planning his Christmas sermon. He is confident that he will live to be ninety.

Home from Islands

Miss Ebba Rae Benbow of Irvington returned to the mainland this week climaxing a six weeks' visit to the Hawaiian Islands. She is spending the remainder of the week visiting in San Francisco.

Sunday Guests

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Chilcote in Irvington were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stradcutter and daughters of San Francisco.

Alameda Family Outing at Santa Cruz

The A. E. Alameda family of Irvington had a regular old-time family get-together at Santa Cruz on a recent week-end. With two cottages rented, there was plenty of room for the fourteen who enjoyed the outing. These included Mr. and Mrs. Alameda, the four sons and their girl friends—Larra Emory, Lorraine McClain, Virginia Azzarella and Cora Perez—their daughter Doris and her husband, and their other daughter, Shirley, and Gene Lorenz. Mrs. Alameda baked a big birthday cake in honor of Cora Perez, who was celebrating her twenty-first birthday.

Whipples in New Home

Mr. and Mrs. John Whipple of Decoto have moved into their spacious new home, located just south of the Masonic Home. The site they chose commands an excellent view of this area, as well as a good view of the other side of the bay.

Their former home is now occupied by Dr. and Mrs. Robert Fisher who had been temporarily quartered in the Grimmer apartment in Niles after their arrival to the township from Bakersfield. Dr. Fisher is associated with Dr. Lyle Buehler.

Return from South

Mr. and Mrs. Duffy Lewis, Mary Francis and Ethel Francis of Centerville have returned home after a very pleasant trip to southern California. They stayed in Ocean-side, visited the old Missions including San Juan Capistrano and Mission Del Rey, went on down to Tia Juana, and highlighted their trip by going to the famous Knott's Berry Farm.

Party for Young Set

Anna Mae Grimmer and Pat Holland combined their talents for party-giving last Saturday night and gave a party for about 40 of their friends of the high school set. Dancing on the patio of the Hollands provided entertainment for the evening, while sandwiches and cokes took care of the teen-age appetites.

To Feather River

Gus Robertson, principal of the Irvington School, will prime himself for the problems of school opening by taking next week off for a fishing trip. He expects to head towards the Feather River country.



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Visitors Here From Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Moorehead, former Niles residents who now make their home at Alma Center, Wisconsin, are visiting in Niles this week, at the home of her mother, Mrs. Ada Willis. Mr. Moorehead, who used to work at the Niles post office, is now employed at the post office at Alma Center. As a hobby—a very profitable one, too—he raises chin-chillas. He claims that the chin-chilla business is only in its infant stages in this country, and that it has a very bright future.

Backyard Barbecue

Entertaining at a back-yard barbecue last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Batman of Niles. Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Chris McCullough of San Francisco, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Cole of Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Creighton Watson of Burlingame, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gorman of Niles, Mrs. Richard Botts (Jacquie Gorman) and baby daughter of Honolulu, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Taylor of Redwood City, Miss Elaine Howe of Niles, and Allan Starr of Mission San Jose.

Visit Across the Bay

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Foster of Irvington motored to Redwood City Sunday where they called on Mr. and Mrs. Camille Santos and family. The Santos are former residents of Centerville.

Summer Visitors

Mrs. John Brainard and her son, John Jr., have been spending part of the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adams of Centerville. The Brainards make their home at Moss Beach.

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by Ralph H. Taylor
Executive Secretary Agricultural
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MORE TAXES, NOT LESS

Like a bombshell exploding in an ammunition dump, the Korean crisis has blown tax relief hopes for America sky-high.

In rapid-fire order, Congress and the president have delivered a series of messages making it clear that taxes are going up—not down.

To the Far West, on the matter of excise taxes, specifically in reference to those on transportation and communications, it means continued rate discrimination against agriculture, business, and industry—in fact, against the entire western economy—unless Congress takes remedial action.

On the broad front, however, this much the nation's taxpayers can expect: Corporate taxes undoubtedly will lead the increase parade. Personal income taxes probably will be raised very soon—just as soon as the November elections are passed—for individual income taxes provide the bulk of revenue. It is quite likely also that an excess profits tax of stringent proportions will be imposed sometime in 1951. There is a possibility that estate and gift taxes will be boosted, too.

With tire prices climbing, pork chops and beefsteak hitting around a dollar a pound, sheets, bread, coffee and sugar beginning to climb in price, tax increases are only a part of the story however. For there is every indication that the ugly whirl of inflation is apt to

be set in motion again. Dollars are not going to buy as much.

60-CENT DOLLAR
Fiscal experts report that figuring the cost-of-living dollar at 100 cents in 1941, even now it is down to 60 cents with every prospect of going lower. One source estimates that before 1950 has run its course, the cost-of-living dollar will again be down to 57 cents of its 1941 value.

It all adds up to the fact that the cost of living is rising. How much it rises will depend partly on how heavy a new tax burden is imposed—partly, too, on whether the people allow themselves to be stampeded into panic buying which forces prices up.

NOT ALL KOREA

It is extremely important, however, that the Korean crisis not

be permitted to cloud over the fact that federal spending was headed upward even before the present situation. In fact it has been climbing slowly the past two years. It was only the fact that the nation's economy had worked its way out of World War II shortages and maladjustments that the cost of living began working its way down to more normal levels.

With stepped-up military requirements, the reversed trend can be expected to continue—with prices up and taxes jumping. That is the price the nation must pay economically to keep faith and help provide world peace. If sane, clear-thinking heads prevail, the challenge can be met.

The original Calaveras County seat was Double Springs.

CAUSE OF FARM ACCIDENTS TOLD

Falls lead all other farm accidents in California, says Ralph Parks of the University of California.

Most of these accidents are the result of improper use of household supplies. The improper use of the stepladder, throw rugs and the bathtub are the main causes of accidents on California farms. Intense waxing of floors is responsible for a great many accidents.

Machinery was listed by Parks as the second most important cause of farm accidents. Tractors cause more accidents than any kind of farm machinery.

Parks listed the nine most important causes of farm accidents as follows:

1. Falls
2. Machinery
3. Fires
4. Bulls
5. Inadequate fencing of play areas for children around ranch headquarters living areas.
6. Heat prostration
7. Electrocution from high lines
8. Wearing loose clothing around machinery
9. The use of gasoline for cleaning purposes around the home and in the farm shop.

FORMER REGISTER EDITOR VISITS HERE

The Township Register's former editor and publisher, Norman Parks, was back in Niles last week to visit friends.

He came here Thursday from his home in La Verne, which is in Southern California, and was on his way to the University Press in Berkeley. He was delivering a manuscript—a satire on California histories—which was written by a friend of his.

Parks comes from an old publishing family. His father owned a paper in Nebraska. While editing the Register—from 1928 to 1936—Parks also published the Pleasanton Times and the Modesto Herald. Following disposal of the Register he purchased the Castro Valley Reporter.

In 1937 he bought the Monterey Park Progress, and then the Date Palm in India, which is the hub of the Imperial Valley. He sold the Date Palm a few years ago to try the newspaper brokerage field. Since then the newspaperman has retired, but is presently considering entering the publishing business again.

While in Niles, Parks attended a birthday party honoring Mrs. Nell Myers, "the poet of Niles Glen," who worked with the publisher in this area.

FIRE AUXILIARY MEETS

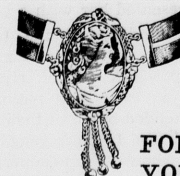
The regular monthly meeting of the Irvington Firemen's Women's Auxiliary was held at the fire station Wednesday evening.

PASTURE DEMONSTRATION

An irrigated pasture demonstration will be held at the Ed Orloff Dairy in Pleasanton at 10 a.m. on August 22.

At the dairy, which is at the corner of Black Avenue and Santa Rita Road, 30 different varieties of grasses and legumes are planted in an experimental plot. These varieties will be shown and discussed.

In announcing the meeting, Walter Johnson, farm advisor of the Agricultural Extension Service, said "it is only through planting well adapted varieties that a most successful pasture can be obtained."



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SUGAR	Fine Granulated	10 lb 85¢
Breeze Cheese Food	2-lb. Package	69¢
Hills-Dale Pineapple	Half Slices No. 2	2 for 45¢
FLOUR	Gold Medal	10 lb 85¢
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Root Beer	Cragmont—12-oz. Bottles (Plus Deposit)	6 for 25¢
Root Beer	Hires—26-oz. Bottle (Plus Deposit)	15¢
Grape Juice	Tea Garden—46-oz. Can	49¢

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Fryers	Swift's Fresh—Tender Grown Meat Type, Fully Cleaned—Lb.	65¢
Picnics	Shoulder—Of Fresh Pork, Corned—Lb.	43¢
Beef Roast	Oven—Rump Cut or Boneless Bottom Round—Lb.	79¢
Fillet of Sole	Fillet of Sole—Select Cuts of Pacific Petrale—Lb.	45¢

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S&W Sweet Peas	10 1/2-oz. Can	2 for 25¢
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Fruit Cocktail	Libby's—No. 2 1/2 Can	29¢
Cut Green Beans	Highway—No. 2 Can	19¢
Diced Carrots	Del Monte—No. 303 Glass	11¢
Butter Beans	Seaside (Dry)—No. 2 Can	13¢
Corn	Cream Style—Country Home, Golden—No. 303 Can	14¢
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Peanut Butter	Peter Pan—12-oz. Glass	29¢

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Green Beans	Large, Fancy	2 lbs. 17¢
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Fresh Lettuce	Fancy, Solid Heads—Lb.	4¢
Cantaloupes	Nice & Ripe—Lb.	3¢

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Sno-White Salt	Plain or Iodized—26-oz.	8¢
Sauerkraut	Stone Crack—No. 2 Can	13¢
Whole Plums	Purple—Monica—No. 2 1/2 Can	19¢
Buttermilk	Quart Carton	15¢
Soda Crackers	Busy Baker—1-lb. Package	25¢
Bread	Cracked Wheat—Mrs. Wright's (15-oz. Loaf)	19¢
Cucumber Chips	Sliced—Hunt's—18-oz.	2 for 25¢
Peanut Butter	Beverly, Regular—24-oz.	55¢
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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Board of Trustees of Warm Springs School District of Alameda County hereby calls for sealed proposals to be delivered to the Clerk of said Board at the office of said Board in the Warm Springs School Building located on the east side of the State Highway from Warm Springs to Milpitas about one-fourth of a mile south of the intersection of said State Highway with County Road No. 6624, Alameda County, California, until Saturday, the 26th day of August, 1950, at seven o'clock p.m., at which time and place said bids will be opened for the furnishing of all labor, materials, equipment, mechanical workmanship, transportation and services required for furnishing and installing asphalt paving and concrete curbs on the grounds of the Warm Springs School located on the east side of the State Highway from Warm Springs to Milpitas about one-fourth of a mile south of the intersection of said State Highway with County Road No. 6624, Alameda County, California, for the Warm Springs School District of Alameda County.

These bids shall be presented in accordance with plans and specifications for said work which are on file at said office of the said Board of Trustees located as above mentioned.

Bids must be made on bid forms obtained at the said office of the Board of Trustees and must be signed by the bidder and accompanied by a bid bond in the form procured from said office, duly executed by the bidder as principal and a corporation authorized to do business in the State of California as surety naming the Warm Springs School District of Alameda County as obligee, or by a cashier's check or certified check, certified without qualification, drawn on a solvent bank of the State of California or on a national bank doing business in the State of California, in the amount of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), and made payable to the Warm Springs School District of Alameda County. Should the party or parties to whom the contract should be awarded fail to enter into the contract after the award and to file the required bonds the proceeds of said certified or cashier's check or the amount paid by the bidder or his surety pursuant to the terms of said bid bond either voluntarily or pursuant to the judgment rendered by the court in any action brought thereon will be retained by said Warm Springs School District as agreed and liquidated damages.

The contractor and all subcontractors under him must pay all laborers, workmen and mechanics on said work, or any part thereof, not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages and not less than the general prevailing rate of per diem wages for legal holiday and overtime work, for work of a similar character in the locality in which the work is performed, to wit: Warm Springs School District of Alameda County, which per diem wages shall not be less than the stipulated rates contained in a schedule thereof which has been ascertained and determined by said Board of Trustees and which is now on file in the office of said Board of Trustees and by reference incorporated and specified herein and made a part hereof, and which said general prevailing rate of per diem wages as hereinabove referred to and adopted for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute this contract, is herein specified as follows:

Craft or Type of Workmen	Prevailing Hourly Wage Rate
Asphalt Plant Engineer.....	\$2.29
Asphalt Plant Mixer Operator.....	1.99
Asphalt Spreader Machine Operator.....	2.29
Asphalt Screed Man.....	1.94
Blade Grader Operator.....	2.44
Firemen and Oilers.....	1.94
Roller Operators.....	2.29
Tractor Operators.....	2.29
Truck Drivers, less than 4 yds.....	1.61
Truck Drivers, 4 yds. and under 6 yds.....	1.74
Truck Drivers, 6 yds. and under 8 yds.....	1.83
Truck Drivers, 8 yds and over.....	2.20
Carpenters.....	2.37 1/2
Cement Finishers.....	2.20
Asphalt Rakers.....	1.80
General Laborers.....	1.55
Oil Distributor Bootman.....	1.75

Overtime: Saturday, Sunday and holiday rates shall be in accordance with the prevailing union wage scales for such work.

The working day shall be eight hours unless otherwise specified above. The per diem rate shall be the hourly rate multiplied by the number of hours in the working day. When less than the number of hours constituting the working day, as herein stated, is worked, the wage to be paid shall be the hourly rate multiplied by the number of hours actually worked.

All skilled labor not listed above that may be employed is to be paid not less than the union wage scale for such labor and in no event to be paid less than one and 55/100 Dollars (\$1.55) per hour.

It shall be mandatory upon the Contractor to whom the contract is awarded, and upon any subcontractor under him, to pay not less than the specified rates to all laborers, workmen, and mechanics employed by them in the execution of the contract.

Properly indentured apprentices may be employed upon this work in accordance with the state law. Such apprentices shall be properly indentured as called for by law and shall be paid not less than the standard wage paid to apprentices under the regulations of the trade at which they are employed. An apprentice shall be employed only at the work of the trade to which

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he is indentured. The initial wage to be paid an apprentice shall be not less than twenty-five per cent (25%) of the journeyman's wage being paid and shall be increased each six months in an amount not less than fifteen per cent (15%).

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees, August 9, 1950.

J. Orville Leitch
Clerk of the Board of Trustees of Warm Springs School District of Alameda County, State of California.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
No. 112305 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Administratrix of the Estate of JOE M. GUARDANAPO, also known as J. M. GUARDANAPO, and JOSE M. GUARDANAPO, Deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: August 10, 1950.

JOSEPHINA GUARDANAPO
Administratrix of the Estate of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Administratrix Niles, California. A11,18,25,51

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
No. 112306 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of WILLIAM D. CULL, also known as W. D. CULL, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within SIX MONTHS after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the law office of E. A. QUARESMA, Ellsworth Building, Niles, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: August 10, 1950.

IVY W. CULL
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of the above named decedent.

E. A. QUARESMA
Attorney for said Executrix Niles, California. A11,18,25,51

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
No. 112223 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned Executrices of the Will of MABEL R. RATHKE, also known as MABEL ROSS RATHKE, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said decedent, to within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me at the office of NORRIS & BROWN, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: July 28th, 1950.

EDITH ROSS and
EMMA R. ELACOW
Executrices of the Will of the above named decedent.

NORRIS & BROWN
Attorneys for said Executrices
114 North Main Street
Centerville, California. A4 11,18,25

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
No. 112411 Dept. 4
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, ANTOINETTE G. BOLIBA, Executrix of the Estate of RALPH BOLIBA, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against said decedent, to within six months after the first publication of this notice, either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or present them, with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the office of NORRIS & BROWN, 114 North Main Street, Centerville, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Dated: August 15, 1950.

ANTOINETTE G. BOLIBA
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Only Joe Dutra's fifth inning hit prevented the San Quentin pitcher, Ralph Schwab, from tossing a shut-out against the local team.

Schwab, who pitched for the St. Louis Browns until 1948, struck out 16 of the 27 batters who faced him. The rest of the San Quentin All-Star team worked like the insides of a Swiss watch. Dutra's hit was the only ball which passed the infield.

The game was very lopsided, and ended in a 4 to 0 count. A beautiful centerfield catch by Merchant Bud Marshall helped save face for the local squad. A steady performance on the mound by Dutra was the only thing that held the All-Stars within bounds.

The box score:

IRVINGTON			
	AB	R	H
Marshall, cf.....	3	0	0
Sweeney, lf.....	2	0	0
Stan Roderick, lb.....	3	0	0
Ed Rose, 2b.....	1	0	0
Joe Dutra, 3b.....	3	0	1
H. Faria, rf.....	2	0	0
Harold Alameda, c.....	2	0	0
Irving Alameda, ss.....	2	0	0
Tony Dutra, p.....	3	0	0
Sabe Elizarrey, lf.....	1	0	0
Ray Berrios, 2b.....	2	0	0
Mel Alameda, rf.....	1	0	0
Soito, ph.....	1	0	0
Lynch, ph.....	1	0	0
Totals.....	27	0	1

SAN QUENTIN			
	AB	R	H
Vincent, 2b.....	5	1	1
Rios, ss.....	4	1	1
Schwab, p.....	4	0	1
Roman, lb.....	4	1	2
Porter, cf.....	4	1	2
Lakin, lf.....	4	0	2
Jones, rf.....	4	0	1
Montelongo, 3b.....	4	0	1
Lamboy, c.....	4	0	1
Totals.....	37	4	12

POLIO FOUNDATION SPENDS FUNDS HERE

Alameda County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis spent \$37,456 during the first seven months of 1950 from the national March of Dimes fund, Fred Wells, chapter treasurer, announced this week.

The money was used to provide care for 326 county residents who were polio victims.

In his monthly report, Wells said that \$4,656 was spent during July. The major expense, he indicated, was providing special nurses for two respirator cases in Highland Hospital.

According to Wells, seven new polio cases were treated during July.

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VERY GAY WEEK-END

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Revert of Eagle Rock, located near Los Angeles, took to the air Tuesday and came to the home of Mrs. Revert's sister, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Thompson of the Mission Hereford Ranch, to spend the rest of the week.

Mrs. Thompson took a few days vacation from the post office to be with her folks and on Saturday evening they all went to the Old Hearst Ranch at Pleasanton for a lovely dinner. On Sunday the Thompsons and their house guest, little Terry Burns, took the folks to San Francisco where they boarded a plane for the return trip to Los Angeles. Tommy and Terry then had a few hours at the zoo in San Francisco.

HOME AGAIN

Barbara Jean and Bobby Johnson returned with their dad, Mr. Harry Johnson and older son, David, when they went to Fresno over the week-end. The two youngsters had been spending their summer vacation at the home of an aunt in Fresno.

MARRIED IN RENO

Another one to add to our really recent list of newlyweds is "The Hays." That's the way the card, sent from Reno on Friday, August 11, was signed and gave us all the grand and glorious feeling for our gal of the Mission post office and her very fine partner for many months at the square dance get-together, had dashed off to Reno and "doed it." Rosalyn Garcia, the happy bride, is the daughter of Joseph Telles of the Mission, and the groom none other than Mr. Donald Hays of Sunol. They made a fast tour of Nevada and visited Boulder Dam and then on home to get set for housekeeping at Don's ranch on the Calaveras Road. Stanley Garcia, Roe's son, will also make his home there with his mom and new dad. The new Mrs. Hays will resume her duties at the post office as soon as her vacation is over. Best of luck, and a long life together for a very lovely family. These are the wishes of all your friends.

AT EASTERN CAMP

Mrs. Josephine Chambers received word from her son, Clarence "Weezer" Fernandez, that he is in Camp Westover, Massachusetts, for a very short time before they get orders for "Over." Where,

he did not know, but says "howdy" and "so long" to all his friends around here until he gets back in three or four years. He is with the air corps ground wing.

TO SAN QUENTIN

To quote Tony Rogers, one of the home town boys who always accompanies the "All Star Baseball Team" from this area, "We had to go back and renew old acquaintances." Of course I was curious as any female would be and found out that the boys had journeyed to San Quentin over the week-end and had played the "Home Town" team of that institute. Our boys came out the losers with a score of four to a goose egg, but why not, they had a former professional pitcher there but they sure held them to a small score. Bill Perreira also went along. Twenty-two succeeded in getting inside and after counting noses, twenty-two got out too. They had played there last year.

IN SACRAMENTO

Little Lorene Garcia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe R. Garcia, spent several days in Sacramento recently with Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Burt and daughter, Katherine. Her dad and mommie motored to Sacramento to bring her home.

NEW BROTHER

David Andrade, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Andrade, who spent a week in Galt with his maternal grandparents, returned home to find his brand new little baby brother, Michael, had just arrived.

BUZZING AROUND

Who is that buzzing around the highways really looking very proud of his new motorized bike? Stanley Caires came dashing up to the post office on the steed?? and told us he had to take a driver's test for it the same as for a car. I even saw him using the proper hand signal. Now the two miles from town will be easier to make and faster, won't it, Stan?

FROM INDIANA

Over-night guests at the home of Jack and Teddy Pereira were Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Keefe of Muncie, Indiana. They had been touring California and were on their way home.

RUGGED DAYS

Miss Marilyn Rodrigues had a couple of real rugged days over the week-end for she had a bad infection in her finger, which finally had to be lanced by Dr. O'Connor of Newark. Following penicillin shots and a rest, she is much improved. She is the daughter of George and Mary Rodrigues.

SUMMER GUESTS

Summer time sees many guests stopping over at the Thompson home at the Mission Hereford Ranch and her latest are cousins

NATIVE DAUGHTERS INSTALL OFFICERS

Twelve officers of Laura Loma Parlor of Native Daughters were installed Tuesday evening at Boliba Hall in Niles by Deputy Grand President Lauretta Berry of Livermore.

Two of the officers, Mrs. Nora Rogers, president, and Mrs. Fleecie Gomes, sentinel, were installed by proxy, as they are now touring Europe.

Mrs. Dorothea Rose, retiring Helen and Frank Hoyt of Descanso, Calif. They have been in Oregon and toured the coast line all the way down.

president, had charge of the ceremonies at which Leontine Rose, Velma Zimmerman and Erleen Zimmerman were installed as vice-presidents; Ivy Cull and Patricia Rose, secretaries; Mary Barnard, treasurer; and Emma Alves, Florence Alves and Ethel Miner, trustees.

Guests from Hayward, Centerville, Pleasanton and Livermore attended the meeting at which Frances Andrade of San Leandro, who is new district deputy, was introduced.

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So we asked some old timers in the county. Most of them agreed that Niles was probably named after Judge Niles, a Central Pacific Railroad official soon after the railroad came through Niles in 1869.

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NEW HOUSING UNIT TO OPEN SUNDAY

Another new housing unit will be opened to the public for the first time here Sunday when the model home at Orchard Park, between Centerville and Newark, will go on display.

The new home is the first of 165 two and three-bedroom homes which will be built in the tract by Smith-Peters Investment Company, associated with the Earl W. Smith Development Corporation. The tract is bounded by Thornton Avenue and Blacow road and will feature copyrighted flat-top type homes, ranging in price from \$6,895 to \$7,895.

The company has many other tracts throughout the bay area now under development, including a 4,000 home unit north of Richmond, a 300-home unit in Sunnyvale, 265 homes in Hayward, 300 homes east of San Jose and 1,000 home units in Pittsburg and Sacramento.

Orchard Park will have its own little shopping center, according to company officials, and all of the homes will be FHA and VA approved.

Fred Marks, tract manager, has announced that the tract office will be open daily except Tuesdays following the opening Sunday.

FIESTA IN NEWARK THIS WEEK-END

The Fiesta Das Contas, sponsored by the Holy Ghost Council of S.E.S. No. 8, will be held this Saturday and Sunday in Newark.

There will be dancing on Saturday night at the Pavilion, with music by the Pascoa Brothers.

On Sunday at 11 a.m. a financial report will be given to the public on the Holy Ghost Fiesta held in July. New officers will be announced at this time, to be followed by the Portuguese tradition of sopas and carne.

Free dancing will be held in the afternoon from two to six.

CENTERVILLE SEEKS SPEED REDUCTION

A request that the county erect signs along Thornton Avenue in Centerville placing a limit on the speed of vehicles entering the town has been forwarded to Supervisor Chester E. Stanley by the Centerville Chamber of Commerce.

At Wednesday's meeting of the Chamber it was pointed out that at the present time the speed limit through the residential area, as far as the intersection with the San Jose Highway, is 55 miles per hour.

A request was also forwarded to Stanley asking for the installation of street lights along Norris Road.

PRELIMINARY TRIAL TODAY IN CENTERVILLE COURT

The preliminary trial of Amelio Berjarano, who is being held to answer for allegedly failing to provide for his wife and two infant children, will be heard in Centerville Justice Court this afternoon.

Berjarano is being held in lieu of \$250 bail on a charge filed against him by the State of Arizona where his family lives. He appeared before Judge Allen G. Norris last Friday, but the case was continued until today so that he might obtain an attorney to represent him.

IRVINGTON FIREMEN ENJOY BARBECUE

The members of the Irvington Fire Department and their families enjoyed a barbecue dinner Saturday evening at the fire house. The food was donated by local growers, shippers and dairymen and Muzzy Rogers very capably served as chef. Following the dinner the group enjoyed an evening of dancing.

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This week he got his second buck, while others are still searching the woods for their first.

This one was a hundred and twenty-five pounder, bagged in Niles Canyon.

His mother, who doesn't want to seem to be boasting—though she has every right to—says modestly, "I guess George is just a good shot."

WARM SPRINGS TRUSTEES CALL FOR PAVING BIDS

Bids for paving the grounds and installing concrete curbs at the Warm Springs Grammar School will be opened by the Board of Trustees on August 26.

According to J. Orville Leitch, clerk of the board, bids for furnishing labor, materials, equipment, mechanical workmanship, transportation, and services will be accepted until that date. Work on the project will commence soon after the bids are opened.

ARTS APPRECIATION GROUP TO MEET ON AUGUST 30

The Arts Appreciation section of the Country Club will hold its next meeting on August 30, at the home of Mrs. T. H. Elliott of Niles, according to an announcement this week from the chairman, Mrs. Carol Svoboda.

The discussion will center around a play, "Strange Interlude," by Eugene O'Neill. Mrs. L. R. Bateman will lead the discussion.

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Four years ago Sunday the Center Theater was opened to the public.

To celebrate this anniversary, Manager Don Brown has arranged for a series of pleasant events to take place during the Sunday show. Six large cakes will be served, with coffee to each person attending the show. And each lady will be presented with a gardenia corsage at the door. Every kiddie attending the show Sunday will receive a bar of chocolate candy.

Since Mr. Brown took over as manager he has been anxious to show his appreciation to the public for its cooperation in making this theater more popular. He is taking the opportunity of this anniversary to show residents his appreciation.

JAMES DUARTE TO STUDY AT SEMINARY

James Duarte, Centerville, who leaves this week for New Jersey where he will study at the Salesian Fathers' Seminary for the priesthood, was honored with a farewell mass said by Father Charles J. O'Connor at Holy Ghost Church in Centerville on Tuesday.

Duarte, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Duarte of Centerville, served the mass, assisted by a former classmate, Jack Ferrari. He has been studying at the Salesian Fathers' House of Studies in Richmond for the past two years.

A reception in his honor was held Tuesday evening at Parish Hall.

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NORMAN COIT HONORED

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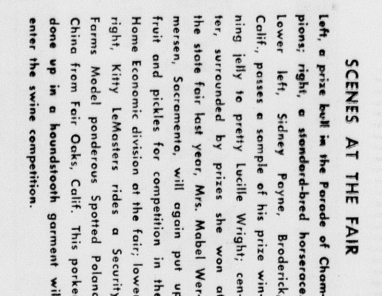
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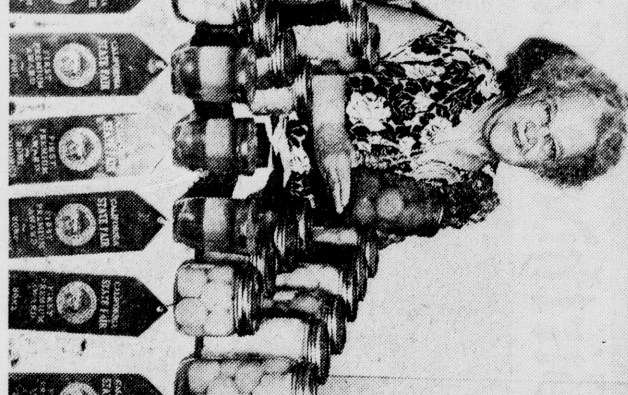


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SCENES AT THE FAIR



California State Fair August 31 - September 10

"COME TO THE FAIR"—it's not only the annual California State Fair being staged at the fairgrounds in Sacramento from Aug. 31 through September 10, but it's a gigantic eleven day birthday party celebrating California's 100th birthday. The state has been set for the presentation of one of the greatest stage fairs, and in addition to the annual, autumnal festival, replete with attractions and entertainment features, will be a program befitting the state's one hundredth birthday. On Admission Day, Sept. 9, a five hundred pound birthday cake will be served and the first 10,000 women entering the fairgrounds on that day will be presented with orchids.

Opening day ceremonies will be held at 10 a.m. August 31 when the delivery of the state charter in 1850 will be reenacted. The first of the birthday celebration will be held around the massive cake replica, decorated and wired for music, just in front of the agricultural building.

New attractions will abound. Such stars as Dick Haymes, The Andrews Sisters, and Bob Crosby have been booked for the Night Musical Spectacular which also include Frolics on Ice, starring Betty, and many elaborate production numbers.

Scores of marine whippers will roar over the fair's new racing boat on Sept. 3 and again on Sept. 10 when outstanding drivers of the nation participate in the motor boat races.

The swank horse show with record entries will see riders and drivers competing. A splendid horse racing meet will be held with ten horses scheduled for each week day during the fair and with quarter horses running at the fair for the first time.

The livestock show, beginning with the showing of a few animals in 1854 promises to surpass all previous years in number of

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Up-to-Date Canning Tips

Q. Is there ever a possibility of overloading your pressure cooker?

A. Yes—Never crowd in more jars than recommended in the recipe.

Q. Is there a danger of filling jars too full?

A. Yes—Never fill jars too full. There should be at least 1/2 inch head space after liquid is poured in. Some foods require more head space as expansion is greater. Consult your cook book for definite instructions.

Q. When should one start to count time of processing?

A. From the minute the hand on the pressure gauge reaches the required pressure.

Q. How much cane sugar syrup should be used in a jar?

A. Fill syrup to within 1 1/2 inches of top of jar if fruit is packed cold—or to 1/2 inch of top of jar when fruit is packed hot.

Q. What are the different syrups used in canning and how are they made?

A. There are three syrups: Thin, medium and heavy.

Thin Syrup—One part pure cane sugar, three parts water or fruit juice, bring to a boil.

Medium Syrup—One part pure cane sugar, two parts water or fruit juice, bring to a boil.

Heavy Syrup—One part pure cane sugar, one part water or fruit juice, bring to a boil.

Q. What are the three essentials of jelly and jam making?

A. They are pectin, (the jellying substance in fruit), sugar and fruit acid. These ingredients, properly balanced, turn the fruit or fruit juice into jam or jelly. Jelly making is not for the woman who cooks "by instinct" for a jam or jelly recipe is really a scientific development.

Q. Can you substitute bottled pectin in a recipe that calls for powdered fruit pectin?

A. No—Each recipe is individually tested and does not allow for a substitution. Follow the recipe leaflet that comes with the pectin.

Q. How should jams and jellies be stored?

A. Store jams and jellies covered in a cool, dry place. If it's stored in the kitchen, keep away from the range or radiator; choose the lowest shelves, as warm air rises.

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Canning Time . . .

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ing a knife across the top of the jar. When adding the sugar, be sure to mix well and make certain that it is thoroughly dissolved.

Modern Jams Aid Canners
Modern jams make it possible to keep processed food safe from any harmful organisms that might reach the food while cooking. It is important that you have perfect jars, with tops that are free from nicks and sharp edges. Be sure to read all directions carefully.

All the facilities necessary in large metropolitan centers will be available to fairgoers. Post office, bank, first aid station, fire department, police protection, telephone office, lost and found headquarters, auto trains, shoe shine facilities, children's playground, nursery, drinking fountains and restaurants will be in operation all eleven days of the fair.

Scenic Views of California
Scenic views of California Missions will be featured in the Regional building. California Missions Trails Assn. will display original sketches of historic missions. In this building also are displays by the Shasta Cascade Wonderland Assn.

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Winchester Mystery House . . .

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Several years ago, after the death of Mrs. Winchester, the property was purchased and for the first time the curious world was given an opportunity to see inside the "mansion of spooks" as it was called.

Here visitors found literally hundreds of windows, intricate and bewildering corridors which connected the rooms. Unguarded, one could easily become lost in the maze of rooms. Of the 160 rooms, not a dozen are on the same level and, oddly, built stairs connect them. There are hundreds of "goofy" stairs with steps 2 1/2 inches high, requiring 15 such steps to make a rise of eight or nine feet. One staircase has nine turns, and many of the hallways are only two feet wide.

The wood throughout the mansion is of the finest, not veneer, but solid. There are tens of thousands of square feet of polished surface, reflecting the light. Windows of every size and shape are to be found in the walls, ceilings and chimneys, and in all of them of them open against the walls or solid exterior. Some of the doors in the upper stories open directly to the outdoors and a sudden fall.

The superb main entrance is known as "Pison Hall" and is a masterpiece of plain work. The massive front doors with their art glass panels are worth as much as an entire house of ordinary proportions.

Off this grand hall is the ball room in which no ball was ever held. Gold and silver leaf adorned the walls, and here once was a great pipe organ, and there were five great harps. Winchester's treasure in gold and silver plate.

Electric push buttons are found everywhere, and doors built into the walls with wires which have never been traced. Nobody knows what all the push buttons and wires and goings were used for.

New Pinon Bunnies
New pinon bunnies are on the market, in plain and jeweled versions, which need no sewing.

Criswell Answers . . .

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Q. Should I go deep sea fishing?—D. E. K. Rossmore.

A. Yes, for you will be quite safe as you will be properly chaperoned.

Q. Why does my husband want a divorce? Will I get custody of the baby? Will the house be sold?—Mrs. H. L. H. Archibald.

A. He no longer wishes to face the responsibilities of marriage. You must get yourself a good lawyer and protect yourself and your child, by good alimony and the house. However, I do feel that your husband will believe return to you, but for the present, demand what is yours.

Q. Will our property be taken in with this subdivision, and if so, how soon will we be required to move our business?—C. A. B. Attard.

A. Not for some time, but you need not worry as you will be given ample warning.

Q. Will Eleanor pay me back?—Charles L. Spring Valley.

A. No, she will claim that this was a gift as you were both living under the same roof at the same time.

(Criswell will be happy to answer your personal problems through the columns of Magazine California—Address, 3800 Oldspoon, Long Beach, Calif. All answers will be published as space permits.)

An Accurate Glimpse of the Future

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PREDICTS

"FOR WOMEN ONLY"

You will be asked to declare under oath, and very soon, just how much sugar, coffee and canned goods you have stored away, and ration tickets will be withheld until they are used! . . . Many stores will be very glad to rid themselves of the stock of old nylons which they had on their shelves for some time, as nylon will be made obsolete by a new material soon to be on the market! . . . All of the new girdles will be double-meshed in the waist to allow the hips and bust to spread in the new "banjo" figure look due in September. . . . The latest perfume to find favor will be the "honeysuckle" scent. . . . Wrought iron furniture for indoors will be the latest interior decorator's trend. . . . Bamboo drapes in rainbow colors will be used for the den and bedroom. . . . You can now do all your own photo-finishing at home with a new handy kit to be on the market soon. . . . Your local bank will soon have a special course, given free, for the woman investor. . . . Women's football teams will earn top attendance this fall. . . . The beautician's license now gives the right to prescribe diet, massage and instruct on health, charm and love! You can now buy your own wallpaper with your own personal monogram worked in the pattern. . . . The coming cloth that will prove most practical is the new lustrous material, that can be used for skirts, slacks, pedal pushers, dusters, blouses and dress coats. Lusterly resembles a silk corduroy, but has twice the wearing power and will not shine! . . . The colors for fall and winter wear will be huckleberry blue, cranberry blue, cashmere beige and Windsor green. . . . You will be able to buy a pin-curl permanent wave set for only two dollars; frozen chop suey or chow mein; a new powder that makes ginger beer; and a new enamel paint for your wash basin or bath tub; and a new French soap in liquid form for that new "freshly scrubbed look". . . . Slippers made from sailecloth with a wooden fiber sole will prove very popular next year. . . . The latest hostess stunt for entertaining is to find out each invited guest's birthday and give them an astrological chart for that day as a party favor, plus something in their "lucky" color! A birthday is always an important day in any one's life!

Q. Am I going to make a change of residence soon, and why?—L. F. Mantec. . . . A. Yes, you will move to a new home in the fall, and you will be better off there. . . . Q. Will I ever have a child?—When?—Victoria J. S., Concord. . . . A. Yes, by adoption, this November. Things will run much better for you from now on. . . . Q. Will we sell the ranch, should I stay with my present work? Should I go prospecting?—H. M. P., Clear Lake Highlands. . . . A. Yes, but not right away, but by next summer. Yes, for a while. You will prospect for gold and you will find enough to pay for your time, and this will come next year. . . . Q. Will my husband and I stay where we are caring for an elderly woman? Will we ever own our own home? Will my husband change his attitude towards his religion?—A. C. W., Arcata. . . . A. Until December. Yes, he will be a little sick and this will scare him. You have great faith and you will reap the rewards of your faith. . . . Q. Will we be able to sell this place? When will my son come home? Will we get any money from my husband's Uncle?—Mrs. L. T., Ukiah. . . . A. Yes, but you will not get your price until spring, and then you will sell it to some one from the East. Your son will be home this year. Yes, very little. . . . Q. Will I be able to sell my lots and land in Niles?—E. W. S., Oakland. . . . A. Not until October. You will place them on the market through advertising them, and they will be sold to some one from Chicago. You will get a fair price. Things are looking up. . . . Q. Who is to blame for my

daughter's disgraceful condition?—Mrs. G. D. Vacaville. . . . A. The man that you married. . . . Q. Will I overcome this fear that I have had for 10 years? Will my husband find a position that he will be happy in very soon?—Mrs. M. C. Healdsburg. . . . A. Yes, by not brooding on it and giving way to it. Your health will be much better and you will be able to throw it off very easily. Your husband will be happy early in the year. . . . Q. Will I ever be financially independent?—Miss X-X-X, Oakdale. . . . A. Yes, by 1951, through a family matter that will be settled at that time. . . . Q. Will my youngest son quit the Navy when his time is up? Will he continue music? Has he a steady sweetheart?—Mrs. L. J. C., Oakdale. . . . A. Yes, and he will have his own orchestra at a later date. He will come home from Alaska before too long. He is planning marriage but that will not take place for at least three years. . . . Q. Should we invest now in rental property? How long will my husband hold his job? What about the contest?—Mrs. S. L. M., Vacaville. . . . A. Not right now, as property is coming down, and you will be able to do much better after the first of the year. Income property is always good, but be sure it is close in, and then you will never have a vacancy. . . . Your husband's job looks secure, but he will make a change by the end of the year. This contest has too many odds against you, but you will win a very small award. You should submit all contests to the Better Business Bureau before entering them. . . . Q. Should we sell our home? Will my husband's work be steady? Will we continue living here in the desert?—Mrs. J. R., Lancaster. . . . A. Yes, and then you will be able to buy one that you will like better. Yes, yes, but you will take quite a trip very soon. . . . Q. Where can I send this story? Will the child be a boy or girl? Where can my daughter's finance find work?—Mrs. G. R., Indio. . . . A. If you will send it to one of the Romance magazines, you will find that they will buy it but it will need some rewriting. . . . Boy. He is a chemist and will work in a factory near you. . . . Q. Should I buy this house next door to mine. I will have to borrow money to buy it but I can rent it the moment it is mine.—Mrs. F. S., Delano. . . . A. The price they want is too high, and the amount of money you must borrow, and the interest you would pay for the gamble on the return, would not be worth the chance you would take with your money. Why risk your own peace of mind? . . . Q. How much longer will I be required to take care of this sick woman?—H. P., Claremont. . . . A. Until September. (Continued on Page 7)



SKY-HIGH CORRAL—Horsemen and horsewomen pause at the corral atop Mt. Diablo which is the objective for the annual Trail Ride of Contra Costa County. The ride is scheduled to be held this year on September 3 and 4.

Contra Costa, Horseman's Mecca, Plans Three Celebrations

By GLEN INGLES, Concord Transcript

It is doubtful whether you can find an area of California more celebration-conscious than is Contra Costa County, and it happens that three of these events follow each other closely during the next few weeks.

To come are the annual Red Men's Pow Wow held in Concord on Aug. 25, 26 and 27, the annual Trail Ride of the Contra Costa County Association, and the annual Walnut festival to be held September 22, 23 and 24.

Feature of the Pow Wow, which is climaxed by a gala parade, will be a competition of drum corps and drill teams from all over California. Almost \$5000 in prizes has been posted for this and other events.

But where they really go to town in Contra Costa is on all horses, any project involving the annual Trail Ride competition early in September is a trial of endurance for horse and rider which takes contestants 90 miles to the top of the Bay area's dominant peak, Mt. Diablo.

The show, along with other periodic events, is held on the 16-acre grounds which the organization has acquired at the edge of Concord. Magnificent oaks add to the beauty of the area, and a tree-dotted picnic area with its barbecue pit and dance floor offers a place for summer social events.



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"Modoc Tribe Ride" Through California's Primitive Wonderland

By STAN WAKEFIELD

Western hospitality in its rarest form is experienced by all who are fortunate enough to take the famous Modoc Tribe Ride, held each August in the mountains near Alturas, Calif.

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Some of those Modoc's can fish. So the visitors, lacking the necessary skill, were loaded with a limit of lovely mountain trout to take home to the family. Generosity abounded.

In starting the trip Thursday morning one Alturas business man unable to make the trip, put the publishers in his car and drove them 13 miles over a rough mountain road to the starting point of the horseback ride.

No one seems to own anything on this most unique of all rides. Some Alturas men may have his horse saddle and gear ready to use himself, but along comes some other fellow who doesn't have a horse and up he goes on the other fellow's "nag" while the hosts dig out a different animal for the fellow left on foot.

The group assembles at Pepperdine ranch or thereabouts. They then ride about 8 or 9 miles to the Pepperdine deer camp high in the Sierras. Here the first night's camp is established. Conversation, grub supply and horsemen's sports supply a full evening of entertainment.

About 9 a.m. riders start leaving Pepperdine's camp for the morning ride to Patterson Lake, some 10 miles away. The ride goes up through a rugged territory called the South Warner Primitive Area. Within fifteen minutes the riders reach the crest of the first high ridge where they look out on Surprise Valley, in Nevada, over across Alturas to Mt. Shasta in the distant background, up to Tule Lake country and Klamath Falls, Oregon. All this view is taken in one beautiful panorama.

The trail continues along this ridge for miles, with deep canyons winding their way beneath the riders high pinnacle. At noon a short drop down to Patterson Lake for sandwiches and a drink of the cool lake water. A little fishing for those who want to fish and snow ball fights if you're so inclined, for snow is right down to the lake's edge at the base of Mt. Warner Peak, elevation 9222 feet.

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Summer Brings Canning Time

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Have your pressure cooker and water bath canner in top condition. A good kitchen clock, or timer will be a great help, too, for correct timing is particularly important. Be sure to use fresh lids and rubbers.

Another thing to remember is that your homemade products will only be as good as the fruits and vegetables that you use to make them. When you select the fruits and vegetables, do so personally, and be sure that they are absolutely fresh, firm and just ripe. Carefully packed and handled fruits and vegetables are free from brown spots and bruises. Bargains at the fruit stand usually end up making inferior canned products. Try to value and wise buying are of utmost importance. Instead of buying over-ripe fruit, buy first grade produce at the height of the season when the prices are reasonable.

Also, remember to select your recipes with care. Choose recipes that come from reliable sources. All modern cook books contain up-to-date directions and time-tables that are developed and perfected with you, the homemaker, in mind. By all means, borrow from a neighbor. Many women plan an equipment to home canning co-operatively.

Check all reliable jars and glasses for cracks and nicks especially around the opening. By doing this, first, you will eliminate washing jars, which are not suitable for use. Thoroughly wash all jars and glasses in hot soapy water, rinse well and scald with boiling water. Place them, inverted, on a clean towel on trays for easy moving.

Pressure Cookers Ideal for Canning

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action of spoilage organisms. There are four specific agents that produce food spoilage. They are enzymes, molds, yeasts and bacteria. Luckily the first three are easily destroyed by heat during the processing. Bacteria, however, especially *botulinus*, can be destroyed only with temperatures above boiling.

Fundamentally, the purpose of a pressure cooker is to process foods by heating them above the boiling point of water. This is achieved by utilizing steam under pressure. First some of the water in the bottom of the cooker is converted into steam, which then heats the food.

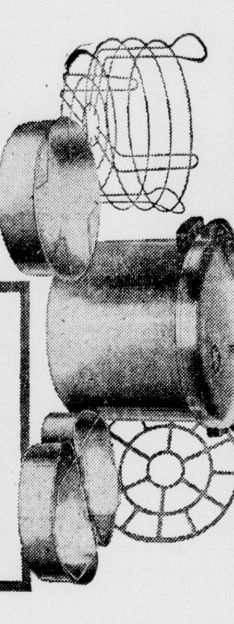
There is no artificial flavor from pectin, and because the recipes are just like chemical formulas, the balance between the three essentials of jelly making—fruit, acid, sugar and pectin—is always perfect. Therefore, you are assured a product every time that is delicious and perfect in texture.

There are two kinds of pectins: powdered, which is usually obtained from citrus fruits, and liquid, which is usually obtained from apples. Because these recipes are so carefully developed, it is important to follow them to the letter. Do not use bottled fruit pectin when a recipe calls for powdered. The recipes are not interchangeable.

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GRAPE JELLY

- 5 cups juice
- 6 1/2 cups cane sugar
- 1 box powdered fruit pectin

To prepare the juice. Stem about 3 1/2 pounds fully ripe grapes and crush thoroughly. (Concord grapes give best color and flavor.) Add 1 1/2 cups water; bring to a boil and simmer, covered, 10 minutes. Place in jelly cloth or bag and squeeze out juice. Measure 5 cups juice into a large saucepan.

To make the jelly. Measure cane sugar and set aside. Place saucepan holding juice over high heat. Add powdered fruit pectin and stir until mixture comes to a hard boil. At once stir in sugar, bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat, skim, pour quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once. Makes about 11 six-ounce glasses.

GRAPE AND PEAR JAM

- 4 cups prepared fruit
- 7 cups cane sugar
- 1 bottle fruit pectin

To prepare the fruit. Slip skins from about 2 pounds fully ripe Concord or other loose-skinned grapes. Bring pulp to a boil and simmer, covered, 5 minutes. Then sieve to remove seeds. Chop or grind skins and add to pulp. Peel and core about 1 pound fully ripe pears. Grind or chop very fine. Combine fruits and measure 4 cups into a large saucepan.

To make the jam. Add cane sugar and set aside. Place saucepan holding fruit over high heat. Place over high heat, bring to a full rolling boil, and boil hard 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and at once stir in bottled fruit pectin. Then stir and skim by turns for 5 minutes to cool slightly, to prevent floating fruit. Ladle quickly into glasses. Paraffin at once. Makes about 11 six-ounce glasses.

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SPICED PEARS OR PEACHES

- 5 cups brown sugar
- 2 cups vinegar
- 2 cinnamon sticks
- 4 quarts pears or peaches

Cook sugar, 8 pears, and spices 20 minutes. Dip in fruit, tender. Pack into hot, sterilized jars, adding syrup to within 1/2 inch of top. Seal. Makes 6 pints.

CUCUMBER PICKLES

- 10 cucumbers 2 1/2 inches long
- 1 cup coarse salt to 2 quarts water
- 1 quart vinegar
- 1 quart water
- 4 tablespoons mixed pickling spices

Select 10 cucumbers 2 1/2 inches long; wash and cover with hot brine. 1 cup coarse salt to 2 quarts water; let stand until cold or overnight. Drain cucumbers. Cover with mixture of 3 quarts vinegar, 1 quart water, 4 tablespoons mixed pickling spices, and measure 4 cups into a large saucepan.

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Allspice Adds Zest, Flavor to Prunes

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Pare and core pears. Place in a salt bath and rinse. Cook pears in boiling medium syrup 3-5 minutes. Pack hot pears in hot sterilized jars to within 1/2 inch of top. Cover with boiling syrup, leaving 1/2 inch space at top. Adjust lids. Process in boiling water bath 20 minutes.

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Soak peaches and dip them in cold water and peel. Place in a salt bath and rinse. Boil in a medium syrup 5 minutes. (1 cup cane sugar added to 2 cups water or fruit juice and boiled 5 minutes). Pack hot peaches in hot sterilized jars to within 1/2 inch of top. Cover with boiling syrup, leaving 1/2 inch space at top. Adjust lids. Process in boiling water bath 10 minutes.

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